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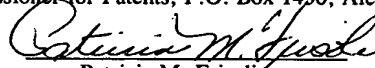
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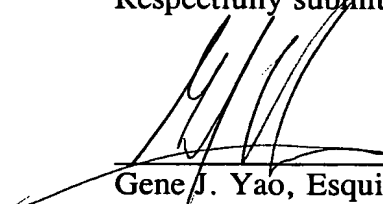
Sir:

The status of the present application is that applicants have received a first Action on the merits. Applicants have not yet received a final Action, a Notice of Allowance, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution of the application.

Enclosed herewith are copies of Form PTO-1449 Modified (1 sheet) and the publications listed thereon. It is requested respectfully that the Examiner initial the aforementioned sheet and return a copy of same to the undersigned upon consideration of this publication.

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